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1. Transmittal Form (1 page);
2. Response to Office Action (non-Final) mailed June 9, 2004 (32 pages);
3. Specification (34 pages);
4. Extension of Time Request (2 pages);
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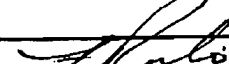
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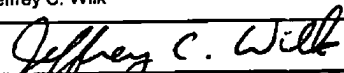
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TITLE: IMPROVED SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DESPREADING IN A
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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 9, 2004

The present amendment responds to the non-final Office Action mailed June 9, 2000. Applicants submit herewith a Petition for Extension of Time with the appropriate fee for extending the time to reply to December 9, 2004. Accordingly, the present amendment is believed to have been timely filed.

Claims 1-36 are currently pending in the present Patent Application. The Examiner has objected to the specification for lack of page numbering, has rejected

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claims 1-36 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, has rejected claims 11-15 and 29-36 under 35 U.S.C. § 101, has rejected claims 1 and 6 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b), and has also rejected claim 6 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a).

In response, Applicants have numbered the specification, amended claims 17 through 21 and traversed the foregoing rejections. Please reconsider the above-identified Patent Application in view of the Amendments and Remarks contained below. Applicants believe that no new matter has been added by these Amendments.